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Victoria, Aug. 21st, 1888.
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Unequalled Scenery,
Games and Amusements,
Band in Attendance,
Lots of Fun!

Light Refreshments will be provided at moderate cost for those who do not take baskets.

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THE FINE STEAMER
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Will leave Turner, Beeton & Co.'s Wharf,
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AT 8:30 A. M., FOR
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RETURNING ABOUT 7 P. M.
Fare for the Round Trip, $2.00.

Children under 12, free, when accompanied by parents.

The Queen City Band will accompany the Excursion.

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The Greatest Fun Makers in the World,
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I AM INSTRUCTED TO SELL AT PUBLIC Auction, at Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf, Tuesday, the 28th inst., at 11 o'clock, a.m., All the nails, spikes and horse shoe nails, Ex Schooner "ARIEL," from St. John, N. B., same having been damaged by salt water, and recommended to be sold for the benefit of all concerned.
aug25-td W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.

Blue Ribbon Temperance Society.

ON WEDNESDAY EVENING NEXT, 29th August, a Public Temperance Meeting will be held at TEMPERANCE HALL, Pandora Avenue, on which occasion the Rev. Dr. Reid will deliver an address—Subject: "Bible Illustrations of Temperance." All are cordially invited. Collection in aid of the funds. Chair to be taken at 8 p. m., *punctually*. aug25

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August Assessment, Due Sept. 25, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 23rd August, 1888, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 22nd September, 1888, to the Secretary of the company at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 25th September, 1888, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 6th October, 1888, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
HENRY JACOBY,
The Company's Office, Secretary.
Government St., Victoria, jl18-5t-1w

G. BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.
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Wednesday, August 29,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

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A nice Lady's Phaeton and Driving Cart, Single Harness,
Garden Hose and Reel, Lawn Mower, Gem Seed Drill, Plough, Garden Utensils, Lot New Flower Pots, etc., etc.

ALSO—IN HALL,
Some fine Moose, Cariboo, and Deer Horns.

G. BYRNES,
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-GUNS-
HAMMERLESS AND WITH HAMMERS.

FOR SALE BY
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Furs and Skins Dresser,
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Panther and Wolf Skins wanted, necks left long. Rub with sawdust or rotten wood, salt and dry.
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EXHIBITION
—OF THE—
BRITISH COLUMBIA
Agricultural Association
WILL BE HELD AT
AGRICULTURAL HALL, BEACON HILL, VICTORIA, B. C.,
—ON—
Thursday, Friday & Saturday,
October 4th, 5th and 6th.

Thursday will be devoted to judging articles and animals on exhibition.
The doors will be open at 9 o'clock, a. m., on Friday and Saturday.

TICKETS OF ADMISSION:
50 cents for Adults; 25 cents for Children.
Intending exhibitors are requested to notify the Secretary.
THOMAS RUSSELL,
aug24-d-w-td Secretary.

Jewish New Year Cards—for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. *

CABLE NEWS.

Opinions of the Leading London Journals on the President's "Retaliation" Message.

Emperor William's Great Scheme to Make the German Navy the Most Powerful Afloat.

The Rumor of Chamberlain's Marriage to Miss Endicott is Again Revived.

Emperor William's Grand Scheme.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The cause which led to the retirement of Generals Von Caprive and Von Moltke from the command of the navy and army respectively is gradually being made manifest since the Emperor's return from his visit to the Czar. Emperor William, from the moment of his ascending the throne to the present, has entertained a fanatical desire to make the German navy the first in the world, and in pursuit of this idea he caused some time ago a collossal plan of naval extension to be prepared, which he submitted to the generals for their approval. These officers expressed disapproval of the scheme, and the first evidence of the Emperor's chagrin thereat was the retirement of Von Caprive, ostensibly because his Imperial Majesty doubted the wisdom of his grand-father's judgment in appointing officers to the command of the navy, but really in order to provide his pliant brother a place commensurate to his kinship with the Emperor and to rebuke Caprive for having opposed his magnificent scheme. General Von Moltke expressed his belief that the geographical conditions of the German coasts would militate against the extensive recruiting of mariners and argued that it would be better to improve the land defense by organizing a landstrum than to incite useless expense in naval augmentation. Furthermore, Gen. Von Moltke expressed an opinion as to the uselessness of the Northern canal, whose outlet into the Baltic Sea is at Kiel. and the frank declaration of the field marshal and the general furnish the fulcrum upon which the lever ousting him from his exalted position was worked.

The "St. James Gazette" on the Message.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The *St. James Gazette*, commenting on the President's message, says:—"The position is awkward and unpleasant for both countries. The retaliation threatened is so illogical and unreasonable that it is difficult to understand its precise cause and meaning. Two plausible explanations occur. It may be intended to influence votes and merely to bluff Canada into granting American demands. There is no doubt that the matter is a serious one for Canada, not merely as far as local affairs are concerned, but where imperial interests are also involved. England must and will supply proper safeguards for her Canadian interests. We must await the next step. It is difficult to suppose that the matter will be allowed to end otherwise than in a perfectly friendly manner."

Comment on the Message.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—Concerning the retaliation message of President Cleveland the *Post* thinks that the commission of nations demanded that England should be invited to reconsider the matter before proceeding further. The *Daily News* regards the situation as bad enough, but thinks it does not gratify the faintest breathing of a rumor of war. Lord Salisbury, the *News* says, is mainly responsible for having sent Chamberlain to negotiate the treaty. The *Telegraph* regards the message as a political move, probably intended to disconcert the rejectors of the treaty by pushing the policy to logical results. The message having served its purpose, nothing more will be heard about it.

Chamberlain's Marriage.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The rumor that Joseph Chamberlain is about to be married to Miss Endicott is again revived. It is being stated in addition that the ceremony will be performed in the early part of next year. Chamberlain's opponents are railing at him because of his parliamentary idleness. Somebody has taken the trouble to ascertain that of 239 divisions Chamberlain only voted in 38, while Gladstone recorded his vote in nearly twice as many.

The "Globe's" Opinion.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The *Globe* says: "President Cleveland makes a strong case against Canada, and surmises that Canada will be able to show equally as good a case. If Canadians had rejected the treaty, it says, it would have been easy to understand why Mr. Cleveland should ask for retaliation; but the *Globe* cannot understand why Cleveland, generally a just man, should punish Canadians for an act of the American senate. It asks if Cleveland has attempted a bid for the Irish vote."

Gladstone's Eloquence.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—It has transpired that the military bands which participated in the Hawarden flower show yesterday received instructions from the war office, where they were given permission to attend, that if Gladstone should make a political speech they were to leave the ground and not return. Gladstone being apprised of this confined his remarks to gardening and horticulture, and his remarks upon these topics had the same effect in holding the audience as his political addresses have hitherto.

Bismarckburg.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—Advices from Accia, in the Gold Coast colony, state that a force consisting of blacks and Kroo boys, commanded by three German officers, has occupied Addelai, to the north east of Salagha and Nehababoman territory. The invaders have hoisted the German flag, built a fort, and named the place Bismarckburg.

The Great Eastern's Lone Voyage.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The dismantled hull of the Great Eastern, which broke away from the tug last evening and drifted off to sea, passed Dandudno, Wales, to-day, bearing toward the Mersey. She appeared to be intact, and the chances of her reaching Liverpool safely are favorable.

The Great Eastern Adrift.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—Last night as the tug Stormcock was towing the dismantled hull of the Great Eastern from the Clyde to Liverpool, the hawser parted. A heavy sea was running and before the tug could make fast again the Great Eastern had vanished in the darkness. She was laboring heavily and floated off westwards.

The Crimes Act Revoked.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The *Gazette*, the official organ of Dublin Castle, proclaims the suppression of the national league in the Baronies of Longford, Castlereagh and Clankee, and revokes the operation of the crimes act in various parts of Queen's County.

Cholera on Shipboard.

LISBON, Aug. 24.—The government is in receipt of information that an outbreak of cholera has occurred on board the Portuguese transport ship India, bound from Macao to Mozambique, and within 48 hours 38 cases were manifested, 24 of which were fatal.

The "Pall Mall Gazette" Suspends Opinion.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* suspends its opinion upon the real significance of the message, but says it looks ugly.

The "Standard" Has No Fear of War.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The *Standard* says it has no fear of war over the matter, but is of the opinion that serious friction is certain to result.

The French Fleet.

TOULON, Aug. 24.—Eight ironclads, of which the equipment was ordered by the Minister of Marine, have been prepared for sea and will proceed immediately to Hyeres, the general rendezvous of Mediterranean squadron. They will be accompanied by a torpedo boat and four despatch vessels. Admiral Amet will direct their manœuvres.

An Invitation to the Archduke.

BERLIN, Aug. 24.—Emperor William has invited Archduke Albrecht, field-marshal and commander-in-chief of the Austrian army, to attend the autumn manœuvres of the German troops. The Archduke has accepted the invitation.

Dillon Failing in Health.

DUBLIN, Aug. 24.—*Freeman's Journal* says the treatment Dillon is receiving in Dundalk jail is seriously imparing his health. He has lost seven pounds in weight since his confinement.

Count Andrassy Ill.

VIENNA, Aug. 24.—Count Andrassy, ex-Premier of the Austro-Hungarian Empire, is seriously ill from penal disease, which has the effect of paralyzing him.

The Hat Makers Go on Strike.

PARIS, Aug. 24.—The hat makers of Lyons have gone on strike.

HEAVY DEFALCATION.

A Collector for the Hudson Bay Company Decamps.

And is Said to Have Carried Away With Him $10,000 Which He Had Collected From Customers.

[From our Own Correspondent.]

WESTMINSTER, Aug. 24.—An employee of the Hudson's Bay Co., named Gill, who was well known and very popular in the city, is said to be a defaulter to the extent of $11,000. He was a trusted servant of the company, and authorized to collect accounts, many of which were very large. He lately made a tour of Westminster, Nanaimo, Victoria, and Esquimalt for the purpose of selling goods and collecting money. His collections amounted to the sum mentioned, and with this he is said to have decamped to the land of the "free."

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Irish Cricketers.

KINGSTON, Aug. 24.—The Irish cricketers were at the bat when stumps were pulled Tuesday night, with five wickets down for 96 runs. Play was resumed yesterday morning before a large audience. The ground was mellow, because of last night's rain. Haynes held his bat, going out on a long, hot ball from Leo. Williams, Maxwell and Neldon made 22 and 37 respectively, Neldon making the hit of the day for five. He had two fives, one four, five threes and three singles One of Galloway's grounders knocked off his bails and the visitors were retired for 180 runs, 17 of these being extras. Very quickly the Canadians were sent under cover, retiring for 78 runs, chiefly made by Straubenzie, 14, Fields 15, Rivers 7, Greet, Galloway and Mcleod 6 each, and Burrows 5. Ireland was neatly stumped by the wicket keeper, while Straubenzie and McLeod were caught off the bat by the same person. At four o'clock the Irish team proceeded to rattle out 40 runs to win, Dunn and E. Fitzgerald making 29, with with 5 fours and 2 twos, and Dunn 12, with three doubles. The bowling and fielding of the Irish gentlemen was superb, and though Galloway, Burrows and L. Williams bowled with precision the batters of the Irish team handled the balls most scientifically. The visitors leave for Ottawa to-day.

An Order for Cotton.

KINGSTON, Aug. 24.—The cotton mill here received another order from China, but it will not be accepted unless the price is increased.

Sir Saul Samuel at Montreal.

TORONTO, Aug. 24.—Sir Saul Samuel, agent general of New South Wales, and Lady Samuel and family, arrived here from Winnipeg yesterday morning and went to Niagara Falls. To-morrow they proceed to Montreal. Sir Saul states his journey is unofficial. On public questions his lips are sealed.

Abduction Case.

QUEBEC, Aug. 24.—Another outrage is reported from Little river. A young woman walking in the roadway was forcibly abducted by a man cutting hay in an adjoining field. No arrests have been made. An effort is being made to hush the matter up.

Elopement.

QUEBEC, Aug. 24.—The private secretary of a local cabinet minister has created a sensation by running away with a fair maided from St. Foye. The young couple cleared out and got married at some unknown friend's.

Mail Robber Arrested.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—John Scott, who was arrested at Melbourne on Tuesday last for a mail robbery, and then escaped, was captured this morning at St. John's with considerable of his booty in his possession.

Committed for Trial.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—Cazot, the slayer of Joseph Pilon at Coteta, was committed for trial at the Queen's bench to-day. He pleaded not guilty, and will try and get Hon. Mr. Chapleau to defend him.

An Appeal for Help.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—The devastation in the Valleyfield region by a hurricane last week was such that Mgr. Simpson Colton will make an appeal to the Montrealers for help. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Spirited Debate in the Senate Upon the President's Retaliation Message.

Excitement in Georgia Over the Increase of Yellow Fever---The Death Rate.

Fight Between Colored Pugilists---A Rise in the San Francisco Wheat Market.

The Message Discussed in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The President's message on our trade relations with Canada was read in the Senate to-day, and Edmonds at once took the floor on the motion to refer, and criticized the President for this "odd business" for not employing means of redress for the wrongs he complained of, as furnished by the retaliatory law of March, to pass which a statute providing for self defence was approved by himself and passed by substantially the same vote in both houses of Congress. If nothing had happened, if there had been no instance of injustice, then the President was right in doing nothing; but he now stated there had been instances of denial of justice to American fishermen, and now only came to Congress and asked for an enlargement of powers that were already large enough. It was, Edmunds thought, an infinite pity that with adequate powers, the President should allow the laws to remain unexecuted and in a state of innocuous desuetude for eighteen months or more. Hoar followed, and, quoting the old adage, that "confession is good for the soul," said it was a subject of considerable satisfaction to witness the working of the grand democratic confessional established in the White House. The administration, he argued, had known all the time that it had a right to retaliate, and in the message was seen the repetition of the policy of non-action pursued by the administration respecting the purchase of bonds. Morgan spoke in defense of the message. President Cleveland had in a manly way laid before the people the exact situation in respect to our relations with Canada. Republican opposition to this whole fishery affair has not been to get the people or the government into better shape, but co entrap the executive and put him where he would do the bidding of a minority of the people represented by a majority of the senate. Morgan had not favored retaliation for the purpose of injuring the people of the United States. He favored putting it in the power of the President to retaliate, and thereby convince Great Britain and Canada that the United States had armed its local authorities with powers enough to rectify whatever wrong they might do, and that the United States meant to execute its purpose unless they came to some wise and just and honorable agreement. Hall criticized the President's message as a desperate expedient to recover lost ground, and a confession that the attitude taken by him and his administration as to the treaty was an attitude that had no force in it. Nothing had been shewn of the wisdom and patriotism of the means taken by the republican senators in rejecting the treaty as worthless, so clearly, as this message—"why," he asked, "had the President waited until now to call attention to the matter of tolls on Canadian canals and other matters of injustice to Americans. It was because he and his administration felt that they had been discredited in connection with the treaty." Sherman said the President's message gave him more pleasure than he usually derived from messages coming from that high authority, but he thought it was a movement to supply lost ground. If the President had a treaty based on the principles laid down in his message, there would have been no difficulty about the treaty, and it would have been ratified by a unanimous vote, because the message did assert the rights of American citizens. He spoke of discriminating tolls on Canadian canals, and said that they ought not to be submitted to reciprocal rights, but ought to be insisted upon. Speaking of the financial policy of the administration, he said, that of all the financial management that he had read of it was the worst. He spoke of the countless millions that had been lost through the administration declining for nearly three years to use the surplus in purchasing bonds, although both houses had declared that the secretary of the treasury possessed the power to do so, but the President doubted his power in that case just as he did in this. The debate closed with a controversy between Beck and Sherman about the fiscal of the administration and Sherman's responsibility for the tariff and sinking fund, and trusts. George took the floor for a speech on the message on Monday, and the matter went over until then.

Don't Want Retaliation.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Aug. 24.—The President's message was much commented on by fishing owners on its arrival in this morning's papers. The news soon spread and a crowd of vessel owners congregated in the merchants' exchange talking over the matter. It was the general opinion among business men that no one here wanted retaliation as outlined in the message. An embargo placed on Canadian fish and the same treatment as Americans received would be all that would be required to settle the difficulty between the countries. On the other hand the men who man the vessels are unanimous in the opinion that what the President has proposed is just right. Some of the skippers think the treaty should not have been rejected because it could have been amended so as to make it satisfactory to all concerned.

More Arrests in the Opium Case.

BUFFALO, Aug. 24.—A sensation has been caused in Ogdensburg by the arrest af John W. Stone, lawyer, Nathaniel Little, jr., deputy collector of customs, and W. J. Cummisky, janitor of the Custom house, at Ogdensburg. The prisoners are charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States government by removing from the custom house over 700 pounds of opium. The opium was part of the lot found in the possession of Erwin R. Gardner and Ephriam Gardner, his cousin, when they were arrested last winter while engaged in opium smuggling. Since then the confiscated opium has been stored in the custom house, and the present arrests are the outcome of a conspiracy to steal and sell it. Erwin Gardner was arrested at Chicago a few days ago while offering some of the opium for sale.

Yellow Jack Increasing.

JACKSONVILLE, Aug. 24.—Fourteen new cases of yellow fever have been reported during the twenty-four hours closing at six o'clock, among them are Dr. R. H. Stant and Dr. A. J. Wakefield. During the same period there were two deaths, Frank Martin and Mrs. Mary Ford. The report that a rigid quarantine will be established at Waycross creates indignation here. Many places in Georgia, Alabama and Tennesee still welcome our people.

Portlanders Agree With the President.

BOSTON, Aug. 24.—Specials to the *Globe* from Portland, Maine, give interviews with members of the Portland fish exchange on the President's message. The concensus of opinion as given is favoring to the President's position. Both those who opposed the treaty and those who favored it approve in general the President's attitude. Among them is George Trefethen, president of the exchange, who says: "The President is taking the right course at last. He is in line with what we have asked for and what we demand as a right. We ask for full commercial rights. Let us treat Canada just as she does us."

A Mysterious Crime.

TRACEY, Minn., Aug. 24.—Geo. Lufkin and Henry Steven, farmers, living ten miles north from here, were chatting in the house of Mr. Steves on Wednesday evening, when a noise attracted their attention. Steves went to the window. A shot just then passed through the window, tore a hole through Steves' coat and crushed through Farmer Lufkin's head. Death resulted ten minutes later.

Rise in Wheat.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—The call-board of the Produce Exchange was a scene of excitement from the moment it opened this morning until its close this afternoon. Over 9,500 tons were disposed of. High European and Eastern markets sent options jumping upwards, and when the last sale of year-wheat had been made it was found to have advanced six and three-eighths cents over yesterday's closing prices. October wheat gradually rose from $1.59¼ till it reached $1.65¼, at which it closed.

The Mail Contract.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Spreckles & Bros. received a cablegram this afternoon announcing that the New Zealand parliament had accepted Postmaster-General Dickenson's offer of $50,000 for the continuance of the mail service *via* San Francisco for one year. The new contract will go into effect this November.

Increase of Yellow Fever.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 24.—News is received from Jacksonville in regard to the rapid increase of yellow fever. There is great excitement among the refugees here. The refugees held a meeting today and passed strong condemnatory resolutions. Great anxiety prevails here for those who are left behind.

Colored Heavy Weights.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Probably the gamest fight ever witnessed in San Francisco occurred to-night at the California club between two colored heavy weights, Godfrey, of Boston, and Jackson, of Australia. Jackson had the advantage in size, reach and weight. The fighting was of the hurricane order from start to finish. Only through extraordinary pluck Godfrey lasted as long as he did. Jackson forced the fighting from start to finish, punishing Godfrey unmercifully. The fight lasted twenty rounds, ending in Godfrey throwing up the sponge. Betting was about even at the start, though Godfrey has been the decided favorite up to to-day.

CAPITAL NOTES.

The "Retaliation" Message the Principal Theme of Comment.

Sir Adolphe Caron Says it is a Bid by Cleveland for the Eastern Vote—Mr. Shaughnessy of the C. P. R. Says Such a Policy Would Result in Building Up St. John and Halifax at the Expense of Portland, Maine.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 24.—The President's retaliation message is the only theme of conversation and press comment to-day. All the leading papers irrespective of politics, condemn the message as political buncombe, unworthy of the ruler of any civilized nation. The ministers in town who are in the city are reticent, but express no alarm at the prospect of non-intercourse.

Sir Adolphe Caron said:—"I don't anticipate any trouble. It appears to be simply a case of Cleveland going the republicans one better in the bid for the eastern vote."

Mr. Shaughnessy, the assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific, in an interview said if the President's meaning was to abolish the privilege whereby goods were brought in in the winter *via* Boston and Portland for Canada, and thus attempt to freeze Canada out, it will be the American railways which would suffer. The Grand Trunk line would be hurt in its line to Portland, which carried a very large percentage of the winter trade to and from Canada; but it would be the Central Vermont and other roads owned in the United States that would feel the pinch most. Such a policy would simply result in the trade leaving Portland, and building up St. John and Halifax, which would then become the winter ports of the Dominion.

WESTMINSTER NOTES.

The Prisoner Olsen Escapes from Gaol and Has not Been Recaptured.

Accidentally Killed by a Falling Tree—Indians Learning to Smoke Opium—Westminster Wins the Cricket Match.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

WESTMINSTER, Aug. 24.—Word was brought to the city this afternoon of the accidental killing of a young man named William Hamilton at Charleson's logging camp, near the McInnes farm, this morning. No particulars could be obtained further than that he was killed by a falling tree. Coroner Ferris was notified and left immediately for the camp, and if an inquest is considered necessary he will hold it there, if a jury is obtainable. If not, the body will be brought to the city.

Mr. Leamy, contractor for the right of way of the Southern Pacific railway, begins active operation on Monday morning with 200 men.

A prisoner named Olsen, a very hard case, escaped from the lock-up yesterday, and has not been recaptured.

A Chinaman has been arested for supplying opium to Indians. This practice has been common of late, and the police were at fault until yesterday, when a drunken Indian told where it could be bought. A trap was set for the Chinaman, and he was caught.

Westminster defeated Vancouver yesterday in a well-contested cricket match.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Colonist.

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

"Retaliation" is the burden of the President's message to Congress, retaliation because the Senate failed to ratify the Fisheries treaty. The position taken by him can hardly be said to be a logical one. While acknowledging that the proposed treaty was a fair and honorable one, well suited, as he himself has said, to the exigency, its provisions being adequate for the security in future of the United States from vexatious incidents, and looking to the promotion of friendly neighborhood and intimacy without sacrificing in the slightest degree national pride and honor, he yet, because of its rejection, counsels a policy calculated to disturb those pleasant relations which have in the past characterized the two countries. There is method, however, in Mr. Cleveland's madness. He has unquestionably made a fine strategic move in view of the approaching Presidential election. He virtually says to the Senate: "Well, you have rejected a treaty which Congress and myself conceived to be an honorable one, and you must take the consequences. I will now ask Congress to pass a retaliatory measure, and you can only stultify yourselves by declining to sanction it." Unquestionably from this point of view Mr. Cleveland has made a bold stroke, one which may result disastrously for the Republican party. The revenge policy of the President, however, as disclosed in his message, savors rather of a state of barbarity than an era of the highest civilization, and we do not believe that Mr. Cleveland is honest with himself in embracing the proposition that the infliction of the greatest harm upon those who have injured us with the least possible damage to ourselves is any part of a policy of national realization. The President's citation of the various causes which have led up to his recommending immediate legislative action, conferring upon the executive the power to suspend by proclamation the operation of all laws and regulations permitting the transit of goods, wares and merchandise in bond across or over the territory of the United States or from Canada, can hardly be said to be accurate. Our legislation has been quite as liberal and friendly—and characterized by even a more generous and neighborly spirit towards the United States—as has latterly been towards us. We do not require to wander far a-field to adduce evidence of this fact. The Behring's sea seizures are a standing proof of the apathy displayed by the American government in meting out justice to British subjects. While it is acknowledged on all sides that a great wrong was inflicted, while it is conceded by all men with any knowledge whatever of the matter that the sealers never should have been seized, and that ample recompense should be had because of their detention, nothing yet has been done tending to show a "generous and neighborly spirit" by the United States government, nor would anything be done unless upon compulsion from the British government. Fortunately its arm is strong enough to demand reparation for outrages inflicted upon its subjects. We are inclined to the opinion that the policy outlined by the President is, like the retaliation measure which received executive assent on the 3rd of March, 1887, to become in effect a dead letter. That provided in case American fishing vessels being or visiting in waters or at any of the ports of the British dominions of America, should be or lately had been deprived of rights to which they were entitled by treaty or law, or if they were denied certain other privileges therein specified, or vexed and harassed in the enjoyment of the same, the President might deny to vessels, and their masters and crews of the British dominions of North America any entrance to waters, ports or harbors of the United States, and also deny entry into any port or place of the United States or any product of said dominions, or other goods coming from said dominions to the United States. Cleveland did nothing in that case, and beyond a little cheap *buncombe* nothing will come of this. To carry it out to the bitter end would mean a greater loss to the United States than to Canada. The sword cuts both ways, and judging by the feeling of the American press the Canadian blade would lop off the larger piece. The New York *Herald* says that Mr. Cleveland simply tells the country that the United States and Canada are at loggerheads. "No transit for us, no transit for them. That is the result to be adopted that will force a crisis at once. The Senate has made retaliation necessary." While the *Sun*, whose editor, Mr. Dana, supports Cleveland for President, considers the message is "a blow that will be effectively vital." The *Star* says that "should England meet us in a proper spirit and withdraw the notice of 1886, abolish discriminating tolls, and refrain from injustice to our fishermen, the retaliatory law need not be put into effect." It is presumed that what the Americans want is for us to give up all our fishing privileges to them, to give them a free pass over our magnificent canal system, and to receive in return the good opinion and "high regard" of the great American nation. That the intelligence of Cleveland's latest political move did not strike terror into the hearts of the people of Eastern Canada may be gleaned from the contents of a telegram received here yesterday stating that as Assistant-General Manager Shaughnessy of the Canadian Pacific railroad understood the message "it would work much more disastrously to American roads." We do not see why the passage of the bill and its enforcement should not force traffic over Canadian lines to our own ocean ports, building up Canadian cities, as we should, rather than American ones. It is very evident that the C.P.R., at least, will welcome with pleasure the *remarkable* message, both for its matter and manner, of the present Democratic candidate for the Presidency of the United States.

SUNDAY LABOR IN GERMANY.

Industrial Germany has reached such a pass in the prosecution of its enterprises that the practice of dividing the Sunday from the rest of the week has become the exception rather than the rule. So prevalent is this disregard of the day of rest that the Imperial Government has been making an inquiry all over the empire with a view to considering the propriety of regulating Sunday labor by legislation, and the results of the investigation have been forwarded to Washington by the United States consul at Leipsic. The most complete statistics were gathered in Prussia, and these will afford doubtless a fairly accurate view of the subject. Some 500,156 establishments of all kinds in the 30 Prussian administrative districts, employing 1,580,000 hands, made detailed statements, from which it appears that 288,939 establishments, or 57.7 per cent., employing 668,000 hands, or 42.2 per cent., work on Sundays, while the remainder do not. The larger establishments, as a general rule, do less Sunday work than the smaller ones. In trade and transportation the practice of laboring seven days in a week is even more prevalent. Here 77.6 per cent. of the establishments and 57.8 of the laborers are so employed. Such is the condition of things in Prussia, by far the most extensive and important State of the Empire. Saxony, on the other hand, prohibits Sunday labor in the manufacturing and farming industries. But this is an exception to the general practice over the Empire. The figures are certainly startling, doubly so when we consider that the German laborer works more hours a day by three and a half and five than does the Englishman. The whole tendency of the times in the empire seems to be in the direction of harder work and longer days and weeks, and to what end? The German labourer is more poorly paid than the English laborer. In the toil of fourteen hours a day and seven days a week he reaps a less reward than does the latter in nine hours of work a day and less than six a week. And how much richer materially is the nation because of it all?

In the recent trial in London about the liability of a railway company for luggage lost by a porter, when it ought to have been taken to the luggage office, Henry Fielding Dickens, a son of Charles Dickens, in opening the case for the defence, observed that, by a curious coincidence, he should have to call as a witness a Mr. Pickwick. (A laugh.) The learned judge: "A very proper witness to be called by Mr. Dickens." (Laughter.) "Yes, my lord, and, by a still more curious coincidence, the witness is a descendant of the Mr. Moses Pickwick, proprietor of the Bath coach, from whom I have the very best reason to believe the character of Mr. Pickwick was taken (much laughter), and I verily believe that one of the reasons why I was retained in the case was that I might call Mr. Pickwick." (Great laughter).

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HOWE SOUND.

Letter From Mr. L. R. O'Brien, who Spent a Vacation at Howe Sound.

In the Toronto *Mail* of the 10th August appears a letter from the pen of Mr. L. R. O'Brien, president of the Royal Canadian Academy, who is known to many of our readers, he having paid several visits to Victoria. His description of Howe Sound is as follows:—

IN CAMP ON HOWE SOUND,
British Columbia, July 30, 1888.

MY DEAR DWIGHT,—Ever since my first visit to the mountains, I have had an increasing desire to see something of the fiords and inlets of the Pacific coast. So this summer, resisting all the fascinations of unexplored places by the way, we came straight through to Vancouver by rail, and engaging a chinook canoe and two Indians went up the coast wherever sail and paddles might take us. They might easily have taken us much further than we have gone, but as my object is to paint, and subjects of interest abound, we find ourselves lingering weeks instead of days at each successive camping ground.

THE CLIMATE

here in summer is simply perfect, and gives endless variety of color and effect. We left Vancouver in the middle of June, and have had since then a good deal of rain, they say more than usual, but it is warm, soft rain, and not often heavy enough to keep one absolutely under cover. There are here more perfect blue skies, and even more dazzling sunshine, than in Ontario, but a sultry day, never. A cool sea breeze, delicious in its freshness, tempers the hottest weather, and the nights, never very warm, are never cold. We sit out by the camp fire until ten or eleven o'clock, and find two blankets comfortable covering in the tents. On the coast, too, we are almost free from the insect pests which make inland woods almost intolerable in June and July. True, we have mosquitos, but they are small and few, and not really troublesome; once we saw sand flies just before rain.

THE MOUNTAINS

have much the same character and general form as the Rockies and the Selkirks, but they gain in beauty from the water above which they rise and in which they are continuously reflected. Except where the delta of the Fraser makes a tract of flat alluvial land, the spurs forming the western slope of the Cascade or coast range of mountains run down without a break into the sea. There is seldom anything like what is commonly known as shore. The shore line is wherever the tide happens to rise to on the rocks, and is marked by a dark line of lichen and seaweed. These jagged mountain spurs are divided by deep valleys and broken by ravines, which, at the sea level, form bays, inlets, and channels, correspondingly deep and curiously intricate — good anchorage is rare; large vessels have sometimes to be tied up to the rocks, alongside of which they lie in deep water. But the smaller coves make charming boat harbors, only requiring attention to be paid to the tides, which rise and fall about fifteen feet. Here and there in them there is a bit of beach, and sometimes, not always, enough level ground to pitch a tent upon.

FRESH WATER

is supplied by innumerable rills and mountain streams, and the slopes are luxuriantly clothed with wood until they reach, as they often do, above the timber limits, while the higher peaks are capped with snow. Howe Sound is the first indentation of the coast line north of Burrard Inlet, which forms the harbor of Vancouver, and six weeks have not sufficed to enable us to explore it to our satisfaction. It is over twenty miles deep, irregular in outline, studded with islands, and walled by mountains rising steeply from the water to a height of from four to six thousand feet. Other mountains still higher rise behind them, their snowy heads just showing over the outer range. One in particular, called by the Indians "Intchekai," cannot be less than ten thousand feet high. It is some fifteen miles inland, up the valley of the Squamish river, which enters at the head of the Sound, and rises in silent, ethereal majesty above a wall of blue, one-third of its height being clothed in dazzling snow. This mountain is seldom seen, the valley being constantly filled with clouds, and its appearance one lovely afternoon, at a distance of nearly forty miles, took us entirely by surprise.

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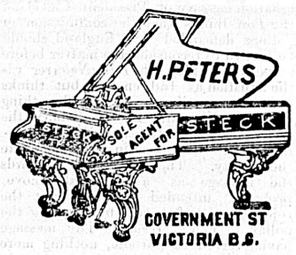

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IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MESSRS. George Herbert Rashdall and George Richard Lawes, trading as The Columbia Milling Company, having assigned to us, the undersigned, all their real and personal estate in British Columbia, for the benefit of their creditors, we require all persons in any way indebted to the said George Herbert Rashdall and George Richard Lawes, forthwith to pay to either of us the amount of their indebtedness; and we also require all persons having possession or custody of any property of the said firm forthwith to deliver the same to either of us.

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NOTICE.—Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated in Coast District:—Commencing at north-west corner of Lot 7, Range 1, Thurlow Island, thence west 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 60 chains, thence south 50 chains, thence east 50 chains, thence south 80 chains to Jackson Point, thence following shore line of Nodales Channel to south-east corner of Lot 7, Range 1, thence west 10 chains, thence north 70 chains, thence east 10 chains, thence north 50 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JAMES McWHINNEY.
July 9th, 1888. jl10-1m

NOTICE.—Thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from he following described land, situated in Coast District:—Commencing at north-west corner of Lot 7, Range 1, Thurlow Island, thence north 80 chains, thence east 50 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 50 chains to point of commencement, containing 400 acres more or less.

B. SPRINGER.
July 9th, 1888. jl10-1m

NOTICE IS HEREY GIVEN THAT, SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all of the unoccupied portion of Tumbo Island, not exceeding in the whole 200 acres of land, situated in Cowichan District.

CHARLES GABRIEL.
Victoria, B. C., 18th June, 1888. je19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one acre of unsurveyed and unoccupied land situated in the Cowichan District and described as follows: Beginning at station 7 of Tumbo Island survey; thence following a line S 78 W, past Cabbage Island 67.81 chains to a point marked A, on 4th squared post; thence N. 61 W. 3.39 chains; thence N 88 W. 1.64 chains; thence S. 56 E. 2.16 chains; thence S. 77 E. 1.34 chains; thence S. 69.30 E. 0.77 chains; thence N. 65.30 E. 1.36 chains to place of beginning, *i. e.* to post marked A.

CHARLES GABRIEL.
May 28th, 1888. je19

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in Coast District, bounded as follows:—Commencing at a stake placed in the right bank of Naas river, about three-quarters of a mile above the Saw Mill, thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the river bank; thence along the river bank to the initial stake.

R. H. HALL,
Naas River, B. C.,
25th May, 1888. jun14-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Savary Island, Strait of Georgia, containing 640 acres, more or less.

ALBERT VIDLER.
Victoria, June 15th, 1888. je16-2mos.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED FROM this date against transacting any business whatever with O. T. Frechette on behalf or for the firm of Frechette, Bourgeault and Duclos, traders, Quesnelle Mouth, B. C., the said O. T. Frechette having left the business in an unsatisfactory state and without notifying his partners.

BOURGEAULT & DUCLOS.
Quesnelle, July 20, 1888. jl24

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In re the Estate of William Francis Morrison, late of New Westminster, Hotel Keeper, deceased, intestate.

All persons indebted to the above Estate must pay the amounts of their indebtedness, forthwith, to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the same must send them in, duly proven, on or before Saturday the 11th day of August proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon.

W. H. FALDING,
jl13-td Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In re of the Estate of W. E. Blackett, late of Nanaimo, Contractor, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the above Estate are requested to pay the amounts of their indebtedness, forthwith, to the undersigned; and all persons having claims against the Estate must send them in duly proven on or before Friday the 31st day of August, proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon.

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Talking with a broker on the question of trade and weather he gave expression to some very peculiar ideas, for this same broker, though prominent on the street and very successful, has a wonderful imagination, and frequently expresses himself in the most visionary manner

On this occasion he said "I can tell you what the trouble is. It's the air for a dead certainty I have watched this market for years, and have seen some queer things Under ordinary circumstances rain and snow have their effect upon the real estate market, but there are times when they do not. Say, did you ever read Dr. Ox's experiment? He way the chap, you know, Jules Verne writes about as having stirred up the quiet little Dutch burg and set the steady going old residents in commotion by the aid of oxygen Well, I want to tell you that in a minor form that very thing is transpiring around us every once in a while There is certainly something in the air that makes people buy real estate. I feel it very quickly The moment I get out of bed some mornings it seems as though I could not get to town quick enough, and all the way in there is a sort of suppressed eagerness to buy acres and subdivide them I fairly have a craving to buy land

"Well, as sure as shooting, when I reach the office I notice an activity among the clerks that is unusual, and I also notice that people begin to flock in They do not struggle in, one at a time, and go out almost immediately, but they crowd the office and they buy lots, too, and when they do finally leave it is with a sort of hungry look at the maps and plats as though they wanted more You can laugh and think I am a crank, if you like, but it's a fact, all the same. Why, I attended an auction sale of lots one day when I had this 'bunch' to buy I tried to keep away, but I could not. Some big bald headed fellow, with a voice like a broken down calliope, was acting as auctioneer, and had got the crowd in laughing humor by telling funny stories, but evidently that was not what they came out for and they began to howl for the sale to begin The sale did begin, and so did a rainstorm, but it had no more effect on that crowd than a gentle breath of wind everybody had the fever, and we all stood there in the pelting rain bidding and buying until the big chap said he was cleaned out entirely and had no more lots to sell This atmospheric boomer comes very suddenly at times

"I remember another sale I happened to be at where the crowd, though large seemed apathetic, loggy and lifeless the salesman was doing his best, and it was uphill work for him, only a stray bid here and there reaching his ear I was leaning against a tree, as listless as the rest when, in a twinkling all was changed life and animation had taken the place of lethargy, and the bids were rolling in thick and fast I knew what it was for I felt it sweep over me and surge through my frame like a charge of electricity—it was the real estate oxygen and so far as I was concerned, I bought thirteen lots in the next twenty minutes What I am telling you is right and no funny business, and the only regret I have now is that the epidemic does not strike oftener I'll tell you what would be a good scheme if some of those invention fellows, like Edison, would get up a machine to store this stuff and let it off upon proper occasions what real estate booms could be inaugurated, but we have no such machine yet, and have to depend upon the fitful fancy of nature for a supply and nature has evidently got her back up at Chicago real estate men, for this strange and exhilarating air has been denied now for many weeks Let us hope for a speedy change."—Chicago Herald.

Milliners Advertisements on Broadway

Those physical wrecks of men who pace wearily up and down Broadway with placards on their fronts and backs, and familiarly called sandwich men, are not the only persons who promenade as advertisements Comelier advertisers are several girls sent out by leading milliner and dressmaking establishments They are models chosen for perfection of face and figure, clothed in the newest and most pronounced costumes or bonnets, and then sent out to walk in Broadway and Fifth avenue The girls selected for this particular service are those who have been for several years used in their employers stores as models on which to show off goods to wealthy purchasers, and thus have become known to those customers so well that, on being seen in the streets they are instantly recognized. Thus the freshest wares offered for sale in those particular shops are announced under the most favorable circumstances A dress or a bonnet seen out of doors on the person of a beautiful girl is, of course, powerfully recommended, and no doubt that the manufacturers who have resorted to this novel method of announcing their novelties find a good profit in it.—New York Sun.

Women Workers on the Continent.

A sad effect of the increased armaments of continental Europe is to be found in the scarcity of farm hands to prepare and handle the crops The consequence is that the field work is mostly done now by women, lads and old men The cultivation of flowers, vines and small fruit is a healthy occupation for a woman, but the plowing and reaping are too onerous, and the German woman of the lower classes shows, by increased physical defects, the heavy drain made on her constitution by this severe labor Women in Germany are also employed in other outside work Mecklenburg—of all the German states the one least suspected of such a movement—has recently begun to employ women as road tenders on the Friedrich Franz railway Since April 1 a number of women have been enrolled in the service at 100 marks per annum Many of these are the wives of the men now in service who are to relieve their husbands The uniform of this female corps consists of a badge on the arm in the national colors (blue, yellow and red) and a dark blue bandanna around the head The stipend is of a miserable quantity, amounting to but $50 a year, or less than $1 a week for important services that require unceasing attention and exactitude.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Understudying Her Sister's Role.

"What are you doing now?" said one actress to a pert soubrette whom she met in a dramatic agency

"Well, I am understudying my sister's role as a sweetheart," was the half serious, half jocular reply "You see, Nell is engaged to a rich dude, but she doesn't like him at all, and thinks of throwing up the role of a betrothed wife. In the mean time I am making myself solid with the fellow, so that if sister gives up I shall be ready to step into the part letter perfect, and with all the business down fine"—New York Sun.

A Warning.

The modes of death's approaches are various, and statistics show conclusively that more persons die from diseases of the Throat and Lungs than any other. It is probable that everyone, without exception, receives vast numbers of Tubercle Germs into the system and where these germs fall upon suitable soil they start into life and develop, at first slowly, and is shown by a slight tickling sensation in the throat and if allowed to continue their ravages they extend to the lungs producing Consumption, and to the head causing Catarrh. Now all this is dangerous and if allowed to proceed will in time cause death. At the onset you must act with promptness; allowing a cold to go without attention is dangerous and may lose you your life. As soon as you feel that something is wrong with your Throat, Lungs or Nostrils, obtain a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. It will give you immediate relief.

FRESH arrival of Brussel and tapestry carpets, rugs, linoleum, etc., at John Weiler's.

LATE CANADIAN NEWS.

QUEBEC.

The local government has received from the papal government a decree ratifying the Jesuit estate settlement.

A crusade against saloon keepers for selling liquor to minors is now being inaugurated by the Law and Order League, Montreal. Statistics show that over two hundred minors have been before the courts since January charged with intoxication.

Pierre Derque, the man who attempted suicide at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, still lingers between life and death at the general hospital. The second bullet has not been found, and the physicians say that they are afraid to probe for it, as they might cause it to enter further into the brain by so doing. His face is paralyzed, and a portion of his right side also has become useless.

The Brault farm, at Dorval, has been purchased by Duncan McIntyre, R. B. Angus and J. P. Dawes, for $25,000. They intend constructing a race-course with stands, stables, etc., to cost $50,000. Extensive stock stables will also be established. The course will be directly opposite the beautiful quarters of the Forest and Stream club. A New York architect is now in Montreal preparing the plans.

A man, calling himself Silas Burnham, who has just turned up in London, Ont., and who has victimized several parties throughout Ontario, while residing in Montreal some time ago, was engaged by a Montreal wholesale house as a traveller through Ontario, but they discharged him, as they found his expenses unusually heavy, and also that he was a spotter for the G. T. R., instead of attending to his business. He also obtained $700 from a highly respectable young lady under promise of marriage. She gave up her situation as forewoman in an establishment to prepare for the event, but when the day arrived he did not turn up.

MANITOBA.

An Englishman named Sprague was drowned at Shoal Lake while shooting.

A shanty at Winnipeg was destroyed by fire, and John Bucher, a German was burned to death.

A petition has been filed against the return of Thomson, the reform member elect for Emerson, on the grounds of furnishing intoxicants and giving money.

Tracklaying on the Red River Valley road is now just twelve miles from Winnipeg. The work on the extension to Portage la Prairie is being forwarded.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

David Davies, who some years ago stole a large sum of money at Qu'Appelle and skipped to England, has been lodged in jail at Montreal.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria,

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Nature's own remedy for bowel complaints, cholera morbus, colic, cramps, vomiting, sea-sickness, cholera infantum, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all diseases of a like nature belonging to the summer season, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which can be obtained from all dealers in medicine. Price, 35 cents. tu-th-sat-dw

A Painful Subject.

"I was suffering for three months with a pain in my back, and was advised to use B. B. B. I had not used two bottles before I became as well as ever. I advise all who suffer from pain in the back to use B. B. B." Mrs. Paul Brondear, Lennoxville, P. Q. tu-th-sat-dw

To Excursionists.

Canadian Pacific excursion tickets will be exchanged to return over the N. P. R. R. on application at the Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 341, Government street, next door to P. O. This enables excursionists to see Puget Sound, the celebrated "Switchback" and to visit Yellowstone Park *via* the Palace Pullman and Dining Car route. *

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Wong Teen Lucy, who owned three shares, and Yip Chun Kai, who owned one share in the business of the firm Tai Soong & Co., have now, each of his own accord, sold his shares and share to Chun Tan, and Chow Quong, and that this firm, Tai Soong & Co., with all its business and interests, its assets and liabilities, its personal and real estate properties (in particular the building and ground occupied by the firm), its branch business in other places, and its shares in other firms and companies, all these being the properties of the firm, and true account thereof having been taken in the valuation of the shares in question, does not now nor shall hereafter concern in any way whatever Wong Teen Lucy and Yip Chun Kai, full payment of the value of their respective shares and share in the firm having been made to them at Hong Kong by Chun Tan and Chow Quong, who now represent the said firm.

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WM. S. STEPHENSON.
WINCHESTER P. O., UNION Co., N. C.

MONROE, N. C., Oct. 29, 1887.

THE POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CO:

Gentlemen,—Mr. Wm. S. Stephenson of this county brought his son to town to-day to let us see him, and to show us what CUTICURA REMEDIES had done for him. This is the case referred to in our letter to you some time ago. To look at the boy now, one would suppose that there had never been anything the matter with him,—seems to be in perfect health. We have written and herewith inclose what his father has to say about the matter,—wrote it just as he dictated.

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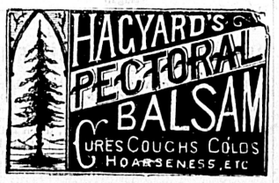

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13th December, 1886. dc14

NOT RESPONSIBLE.

British Barque Titania from London.

NEITHER CAPTAIN DUNN NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

For the Hudson's Bay Company,
THOMAS R. SMITH,
jl31-6t Assistant Commissioner.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The British Barque,
"TITANIA,"
CAPT. DUNN,

WILL commence discharging freight at the C. P. N. Co.'s Wharf, Victoria Harbor, on or about Wednesday, August 1st. Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's Office of the Company, pay freight and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the Wharf at Victoria after 4 o'clock, p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

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STEAMERS
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BETWEEN
TACOMA AND VICTORIA.

The following schedule for the O. R. & N. Co.'s Steamers will be in effect on and after July 1st, 1888, until further notice:—

TACOMA—VICTORIA ROUTE.

Lv Tacoma	8:45 a.m	Lv Victoria	4:30 a.m
Ar Seattle	11:00 a.m	Ar Pt. Towns'd	7:45 a.m
Lv Seattle	11:15 a.m	Lv Pt. Towns'd	8:30 a.m
Ar Pt. Towns'd	2:30 p.m	Ar Seattle	12:00 M.
Lv Pt. Towns'd	2:45 p.m	Lv Seattle	3:30 p.m
Ar Victoria	5:30 p.m	Ar Tacoma	5:30 p.m

TACOMA—SEATTLE ROUTE.

Leave Tacoma	8:45 a.m.,	10 a.m.,	6:45 p.m.
Arrive Seattle	11 a.m.,	12 M. and	9 p.m.
Leave Seattle	3 a.m.,	12:30 and	3:30 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	5:30 a.m.,	2:30 and	5.30 p.m.

On Sunday only two trips.

OLYMPIA AND SEATTLE ROUTE.

Steamer from Tacoma or Seattle to Olympia daily, except Sundays.

Lv Olympia	6 a.m.	Lv Seattle	12:30 p.m.
Lv Steilacoom	8 a.m.	Ar Tacoma	2:30 p.m.
Ar Tacoma	9:30 a.m.	Lv Tacoma	3:00 p.m.
Lv Tacoma	10 a.m.	Lv Steilacoom	4:30 p.m.
Ar Seattle	12 M.	Ar Olympia	6:30 p.m.

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THE COLONIST,
Government St., VICTORIA, B. C.

NOTICES.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

HIS HONOR the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

17th August, 1888.

WALTER B. ANDERSON, Esquire, to be Assessor and Collector, under the Assessment and Provincial Revenue Tax Acts, and Collector of Revenue, for that portion of the Assessment District of Nanaimo known as the Electoral District of Comox, the Districts of Nelson and Newcastle, and the Islands of Denman and Hornby, *vice* Eric Duncan, Esquire, resigned.

NORTHING PINCKNEY SNOWDEN, Esquire, to be a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Victoria, Province of British Columbia.

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NOTICE.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT Governor has been pleased to make the following Rules of Court:—

1. There shall be a vacation in the Supreme Court from the 20th day of August to the 29th day of September, 1888, both days inclusive, during which vacation no pleading shall be delivered or cause tried.

2. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the delivery of pleadings, or trial of causes triable, or proposed to be tried, elsewhere than at Victoria, New Westminster or Nanaimo.

3. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with trials in vacation when such trials have been ordered before the commencement of such vacation, nor with any trial the hearing whereof has been begun before the commencement of such vacation, nor with the delivery of any judgment where such matter has been argued before the commencement of the vacation, nor with the taxation of costs and the signing of judgments.

4. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with applications for judgment under Rule 75 of the Supreme Court Rules, 1880.

5. Nothing in these rules shall interfere with the right of appeal to the Divisional Court from any interlocutory order, or the refusal of any interlocutory order.

6. These rules may be cited as the "Long Vacation Rules, 1888."

By Command.

JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
1st August, 1888. aug3-1wk

DOMINION GOVERNMENT
SAVINGS BANK.

DEPOSITORS are requested to present their PASS BOOKS at the Office on Government Street, for insertion of the accrued interest at the 30th June, 1888.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Assistant Receiver-General.
Victoria, Aug. 2, 1888. aug3-1m

TO THE PUBLIC.

AS I AM ABOUT TO RETIRE FROM active business, I beg to thank my old friends and many customers for their generous patronage and good wishes in the past. The establishment will be renovated and re-opened in a few days under the name of GILMORE & McCANDLESS—A. G. McCandless in charge. Hoping that the new firm may be found worthy of the same confidence as the old, and that old and new customers may still find it to their advantage to trade at the old Pioneer Tailoring and Gents' Furnishing Establishment of June, 1858.

I remain, respectfully yours,
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Municipal Notice

THISTLES!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE owners of lots within the City limits are required to destroy Thistles growing upon their lots forthwith, otherwise the Corporation will have them destroyed at the owner's expense

By order,
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
City Hall, City Clerk.
22nd June, 1888. jo23

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TENDERS.

Notice to Contractors.

CONCRETE WALKS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to Noon of

Tuesday, 21st instant,

for laying Concrete Side Walks round the New Law Courts, Victoria.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms for tender obtained at the office of the undersigned,

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted,

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th Aug., 1888. 11-d&w.

Notice to Contractors.

FITTINGS
—FOR—
NEW LAW COURTS.

SEALED TENDERS, suitably endorsed, will be received by the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, up to Noon of

Tuesday, 21st instant,

for certain Fittings and Furniture required for the New Law Courts, Victoria,

Plans and Specifications can be seen and forms for Tender obtained at the office of the undersigned.

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W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 10th Aug. 1888. 11-d&w.

Notice to Contractors,
BUILDERS, &c.

WORKS AND REPAIRS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEhalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, until noon of Thursday, the 30th instant, for Works and Repairs to be executed at the Naval Yard, Naval Hospital and Powder Magazines.

Specifications can be seen at the office of Mr. John Teague, Architect, Victoria, to whom parties tendering will apply before going over the works.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted,

Tenders to be endorsed "Tenders for Works and Repairs."

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Naval Yard, Esquimalt,
9th August, 1888. aug10-td

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 Acres of Land, situated on the south-east end of Smith Island, entrance to Skeena River, commencing at a post (bearing notice) marked C H—S E; thence west 40 chains; thence southerly following shore of Island to point of commencement.

Port Essington, GUST. HOLMES,
Aug. 10th, 1888. aug19

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August 11, 1888. aug12

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 7,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Wednesday, April 25th, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
Dp 8.20 A.M	Dp 3.32 P.M	VICTORIA	Ar 1.01 P.M	Ar 7.00
" 8.24	" 3.36	RUSSELLS, Vic. W	" 12.58	" 6.56
" 8.34	" 3.46	ESQUIMALT	" 12.50	" 6.46
" 8.40	" 3.56	GOLDSTREAM	" 12.27 P.M	" 6.21
" 9.56	" 5.06	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 11.16	" 5.10
" 10.08	" 5.16	COBBLE HILL	" 11.05	" 5.00
" 10.25	" 5.31	McPHERSON'S	" 10.59	" 4.51
" 10.37	" 5.41	KOKSILAH	" 10.47	" 4.31
" 10.42	" 5.46	DUNCAN'S	" 10.42	" 4.26
" 11.18	" 6.18	SAVONA'S	" 10.12	" 3.39
Ar 12.20 P.M		CHEMAINUS	" 10.06	" 3.11
Dp 12.29 P.M	" 7.16	NANAIMO	Dp 9.04	" 3.16
Ar 12.44	Ar 7.31	WELLINGTON	Ar 8.53	Dp 3.01 P.M
			Dp 8.40 A.M	

CHEAP RATES.

Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue,

Saturdays, Sundays and Mondays.

Until further notice, RETURN TICKETS between all points for A SINGLE FARE, will be issued on the above days.

Tickets good for return only until Monday evening.

No Return Tickets issued for a Single Fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

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August 24th.
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Str. Amelia, Nanaimo.
Str. Alaskan, Port Townsend.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE, from Vancouver—F Dupuy, H Olsen, A Carnegie, Mrs A Carnegie, H Pelton, Mrs Pringle, R H C Pringle, Miss Gaudin, Tim Kee, J G Bingham, W M Wood, Jas Gaudin, J Coughlin, Lee Deen, Hy Brien, G H Harrison, W L Cusack, W H Lilly, Mrs B W Pearse, Miss Pemberton, E J Darling, W C Miller, Mrs Miller, M Gorman, Jno Reed, F W Simmons, A Hammerly, Jas Orr M P P, H L Gulline, J Gretzburgher, M L Clair, F Smallwood, C Olsen, J C McLagan, Mrs J Bannerman, R J Skinner, G Smith, R H Alexander, G Hume, C Hoatsman, J Chisholm, D Callaghan, Mrs T Haney, A S Vedder, Capt J Gaudin, A Peterson, T Perry, Jno Allan, Mrs. Allan, C S F Sloane, Jas Muir, E A Cutler, Ole Olsen, Jos Guion, F Borap, F Erickson, N Moran, Isabel Ferguson, Miss Ferguson, A Falgar, C A Olander, T Jesper, W T Hoggins, Alevina Maletta, M Kopaninze, Miss Newman, Mrs H Whaley, Miss F Hubbard, Mrs Hubbard, Miss H Hubbard, N W Cornett, W H Cornett, J Twigge, S Smith, Mrs HP Smith, W K Fisher, A Herbert, J C Nirbury, B Hart, Jas Weir, F Weir.

Per Steamer ALASKAN, from Puget Sound—E H Price, Z Moody, G G Chandler, Miss Culver, E B Kendall and wife, W H Bevans and wife, W H Bundrage and wf, D E Brown, C T Burget, F W Warden, H G Stence, J Hunter, T Lynch, F Kripner, Jas McDonald, A Liveroosey, N N Brown, J Salsmon, Hon F T Moody, G H Bayne, L N Sloan, Mrs Bechell and dautr, H B Nichols, T Nichols, Mrs Sawyer and two daughters, B Craig, A D Charlton, A Wright, G Anderson, J O'Brien, V Rallison, W R Gates, J West, J Boskowitz, J D Waller, F Axley, Mrs Chandler, J Lincoln, J C Brundy and wife, A Brown, Miss Nichols, G W Campbell, J Sawyer, Miss Miller, L Rosenfeld, S H Hoyt, S A Chamberlin, A Johnson, H G Turp, D McPherson, S L Kelly, R West, H Wilson.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET, from Westminster.—Miss Seaton, R C McDonald, C M Beecher, C White, Mortimer, P O'Brien, W H Adams, E Stair, J Hawkins, Forrest, Wing Kee.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer ALASKAN, from Puget Sound.—T M S Co, S J Pitts, Welch R and Co, Angus and G, E G Prior, Pioneer Society, H Peters, P McQuade and Son, Jno Weiler, Brown Bros, Marvin and T, Fell and Co, S Leiser, W Eckert, D Wilson, E G Prior and Co, Nicholles and R.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET from Westminster,—G L Hibbard, Brown Bros, H B Co, Hayden and Co, Geo Vienna, Smilow, Styles, Coughlan, Wrigglesworth, M Miller, S Leiser, T D & B, W Hodge, Welch R and Co.

DEATH.

CONNELL.—In this city, on the 24th instant, of cholera infantum, Jane Cecilia, only child of Medill and Cecilia Connell, and great grandchild of the late Hon. Allen and Mrs. Francis, aged one year.

Sunday's Excursion to Port Townsend and Port Angeles.

Tickets for the Excursion will be on sale at the O. R. & N. Co.'s office, Government street, TO-DAY (Saturday), and at Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf on Sunday morning after 8 o'clock. All must procure tickets before going aboard. State rooms may be reserved at the office any time on Saturday. As the day will probably be a fine one and the crowd large, a good time is expected.

VICTORIA ART EMPORIUM.

The latest works of Art and all kinds of Pictures. English, American and Canadian Mouldings of best manufactures. Mirror frames and fine cabinet work made to order.

JOS. SOMMER,
Three doors south of Bank of British Columbia. je30-6m

To the Public.

We have this day bought of C. A. Lombard & Co. one of his grand Ronish Pianos as a Prize for our Great Drawing. All cash purchasers to the amount of each and every $2.50 will receive a ticket. Our idea is to turn our ledger into a cash book. Therefore we offer this prize; the instrument cost $350. Every body invited to examine and judge for themselves. City Boot and Shoe Store, 59 Government Street. Geo. H. Maynard, Prop. *

Burnes' House.

Bastion Square, Victoria, B. C. New and elegant. Situated near the steamboat landings, with unsurpassed view of hills, bay and distant mountains. All rooms are light and sunny. Perfect ventilation. ap6-12m*

Jewish New Year Cards for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

New Books.

In All Shades, by Grant Allen	30c
A Wily Widow, Alex. Bouvier	30c
The Mystery of a Turkish Bath	25c
The Fatal Three, Miss Braddon	35c
A Dead Past, Lovett Cameron	30c
Booth Children	25c
The Pride of the Paddock, Hawley Smart	25c
Eve, Baring Gould	40c
Napoleon, Smith	25c

For sale by T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

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Price list and maps of Whatcom, Vancouver, Port Angeles and city properties can be inspected at the office of Francis Bourchier, Real Estate Agent, corner of Government and Broughton streets, Victoria, B. C. 6m*

THE largest spring chickens of the season at Beauchamp's, Yates streets. *

Jewish New Year Cards—for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

Always Ahead.

Eleven cases of new goods, comprising men's, youth's and boys' suits. Soft and stiff felt hats, etc., have just been received at the Golden Rule Clothing Store, Yates Street. *aug22-1m

Like Magic.

"It always acted like magic. I had scarcely ever need to give the second dose of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for summer complaints." Mrs. Walter Govenlock, Ethel, Ont. tu-th-sat-dw

Old Shoes

Made as good as new, and better too, by Irving Bros., Crosson's old stand, Yates Street.

Ladies and Gentlemen

The best place to buy Garden ng Tools is at Cheapside. POWELL & Co. *

Jewish New Year Cards—for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

NEW SILKS—In Surahs, Pongees and Bengalines at the City House.

Asphalt Iron Paint, the best for Wood and Metal Roofs, Wood, Brick and Iron Work exposed to the action of water. Gold Paint, Lustre Paints, Colored Bronzes, Diamond Dust, at Joseph Sears, 114 Yates St. *

A Confirmed Grumbler.

is generally so because of confirmed dyspepsia or indigestion, caused by eating too rapidly, bolting food without chewing it sufficiently, overloading the stomach, etc. Burdock Blood Bitters cures dyspepsia and all kindred diseases. tu-th-sat-dw

LOCAL BRIEFS.

A cricket match will be played at Beacon Hill this afternoon at 2 o'clock between the eleven who played the Vancouver team *vs.* a picked eleven. Players are requested to be on hand punctually at the hour named.

Mrs. and Mrs. Connell, of this city, are mourning the loss of their only child, Jane Cecilia, a bright little girl, aged one year. The cause of death was cholera infantum.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Naval Supplies.

The following tenders have been accepted for naval supplies: Hudson's Bay Co. for sugar, tea and flour; Jas. Stewart for milk, butter, eggs and fowls; J. T. Pearce for sweeping chimneys; J. H. Scafe for hospital washing, and Sing Lee for yard washing. All other offers have been declined.

Dominion Rifle Association.

The successful Nova Scotia competitors for the Dominion team are: Corporal Longuel, 63rd; Sergeant Blair, 78th; Lieut. Fisk, 63rd; Major Garrison, H. G. A.; Sergeant Elliott, 63rd; Major Egan, 63rd; Capt. Corbin, 63rd; Bombardier Campbell, H. G. A.; Lieut. Dimock, 78th; Private Reynolds, 63rd; Capt. Spike, 66th; Sergeant Barris, H. G. A.; Capt. Adams, H. G. A.; Sergeant Cribb, 78th; Major Weston, 66th.

The Umatilla's Passengers.

Among the passengers on the Umatilla, which sailed from San Francisco yesterday, are the following for Victoria: J. Sullivan, J. H. Webb and wife, Capt. W. R. Clarke and wife, C. M. Page, J. McDonald, R. H. McDonald, jr., J. W. Shaw, J. Minknown, H. Cartwright, W. Cartwright and wife, Mrs. Capt. Ryder, J. S. Eastwood, Mrs. Gibson and nurse, S. Wild, Mrs. H. E. Ward, R. C. Ward, and Mrs. J. C. Danow.

He Fought for Her.

On Wednesday two young men who entertain for a young lady feelings of love and admiration met at an unlucky moment and quarrelled. They came to blows, and one of the lovers was so badly done up that he had a warrant issued for the arrest of his successful rival, and the latter was locked up. Thursday morning he was committed to durance vile for a period of three months, thus leaving his rival a clear field to the affections of the unconscious cause of all the trouble.

The Opium Conspiracy.

Three additional arrests have been made at Chicago in the opium conspiracy. The details will be made public in a few days. The San Francisco *Chronicle*, referring editorially to the matter, says: "Justice, though somewhat leaden-footed, appears to have been speedy enough to overtake E. A. Gardner, one of the principals in the Puget Sound opium smuggling ring. Being thus taken red-handed, he will not find it easy to escape this time, and his conviction will be a step towards breaking up a ring which has thus far defied the law."

"The Town Major."

The "Town Major" of the *Times* is a "comical cuss," and no mistake. He manages to keep up a "tempest in a teapot most" of the time. The gallant "Major" has just acknowledged publicly that "he takes a great deal of whiskey in his water." This probably accounts for the Major's style. He gets off a pretty good one though on some Victoria papers when he says: "Some sheets, which require mangling, have letters from Parisor London. * * * Parisian letters wrote in Victoria are very interesting." So they are, Major, but not more so than the last sentence quoted.—*Columbian.*

A Western Manufacturing City.

It would appear from an article in the *West Shore Magazine*, that Portland, Oregon, is the center of manufactures for the great Columbia river region, and possesses advantages calculated to make it the great manufacturing point of the Pacific Coast. *The West Shore* is an illustrated magazine, the only one on the Pacific Coast, and makes a specialty of describing and illustrating the west in all its features. Artistically and typographically, it is the peer of any publication in the United States, and its literary standard is a high one. As a family magazine it has no superior, and as an exponent of the resources of the west, no rival. Every one at all interested in Oregon and neighboring states and territories should be a constant reader of its pages. Subscription price, $2.50 per year, 25 cents for single copies. Published by L. Samuel, Portland, Oregon.

Salsbury's Troubadours.

Salsbury's Troubadours will appear at The Victoria on Monday and Tuesday evenings next, 27th and 28th inst. Speaking of this company the San Francisco *Chronicle* says: The company comes very near to being the best show of the kind on the road. It certainly is the cleverest that has been seen here for a long time. It is simply a stream of clever, bright, witty and amusing, very amusing, things. Nellie McHenry is a long way the best eccentric soubrette on the stage. She can sing even better than she used to, she can act anything from straight business to burlesque, she dances with a comic art that is rare. She does a great deal of work, clean, vivacious, enlivening work, without a single dull or stupid movement in her whole performance. Her singing, which includes operatic burlesque, little bits of sentiment and amusing character songs, are exceptionally cleverly written and full of new and amusing points. Indeed, if it were only for Nellie McHenry herself the entertainment would be worth the money. But all are clever. Frank Blair has developed into a genuine comedian of unctuous humor and decided burlesque talent. He has a useful voice also. Mr. Webster is still the refined and neat comedy actor that he always was. Haney is an admirable Irishman, and the comedy parts are filled in very well. Dickie Martinez is a lady apparently of refinement and education, with a great deal of personal attraction, and she acts naturally and sings fairly; the same may be said of Miss Herbert. "The Humming Bird" gives more genuine amusement than anything we have had lately, not even excepting Hoyt's plays.

MARINE.

Steamship Abyssinia falls due from San Francisco.

Steamship Albany passed up to the Inlet from Yokohama and Hongkong yesterday afternoon.

Danish brig Anne Catharine has been chartered by Robt. Ward & Co. to load redwood at Eureka for Australia.

Ship Koison sailed from Bangkok on Thursday for Victoria with a cargo of paddy rice for the Victoria Rice mills.

Chilian bark India, of Valparaiso, 952 tons, Capt. Schwanwadel, has arrived at the Moodyville mill to load lumber for Valparaiso.

Br. bark Norcross, Roop, from Cardiff with Welsh coal for the navy yard, arrived in Esquimalt yesterday and will commence to discharge at once. She has been chartered by Robt. Ward & Co., to load salmon for London.

Steamer Idaho arrived at Nanaimo yesterday morning and will load coal. It is thought she will be ordered to San Francisco on arrival at Tacoma to take the place of the steamer City of Chester, recently lost in the collision with the steamship Oceanic off Golden Gate.

FOREIGN PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—Cleared—Steamer Michigan, Portland; ship Invincible, Port Townsend; Bark F. H. Drew, Burrard Inlet. Sailed—Ship Ivanhoe, Seattle.

Black Dress Materials a Specialty.

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BASEBALL.

Second Match Between the James Bays and Mayflowers.

The Mayflowers lost the game yesterday in the first innings, when five men crossed the plate on battery errors. For the next seven innings good ball was played, but in the ninth the James Bays struck a batting streak and added four more to their credit.

For the Mayflowers Partridge guarded the initial bar perfectly, having 17 put outs and no errors, while his batting was above the average. Mansell nailed two high flies in centre and proved himself a good man with the willow. Baker is credited with a phenomenal stop of a red-hot liner at third and a clean three-bagger on which he tried to make four bases but was caught out at the home plate. Askew had an off-day at pitching and Wrigglesworth can do better.

Jackson for the James Bays was of course their strongest man. Cool and effective as usual in his pitching, he also batted and ran bases well. Sullivan supported him fairly well and made a good record for himself at bat, one two-base hit and a home run. Naylor showed up well at first and Gouge, Widdowson and Deasy did good work.

The system of dual umpiring was introduced as an experiment and found to work satisfactorily, Messrs. Schultz and Burnes officiating, one behind the pitcher and the other behind the batter.

Owing to the absence of the regular scorers we are unable to give more than the

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
James' Bay	5	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	4	—15
Mayflowers	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	— 5

Two base hits, Sullivan; three base hits, Baker; home run, Sullivan; struck out, Jackson 8, Askew 7; passed balls, Sullivan 4, Wrigleswortb, 5; wild pitches, Jackson 1, Askew 4.

Umpires—Schultz and Burnes.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Judge Richards.)

F. E. De Veulle, summoned by E. Mallandaine for shooting a dog, the property of complainant, in a field near Menzies street, James Bay.

Miss Pauline Medana said she saw Mr. De Veulle in the field; heard shots fired and saw the dog run and yelp.

Miss Lizzie Deasy, sworn—Live on Toronto street, James Bay; on Sunday evening last was in her house when she heard two shots; heard a dog yelp; saw the head of a man over the fence in the rear of a house near by; also saw the wounded dog.

Further hearing of the case was adjourned till Wednesday next.

Thos. Golightly, charged with obstructing the public thoroughfare, was fined $5.

Lizzie Reid entered a charge against her husband, but failing to appear the case was dismissed.

Gavonia, an Italian, was charged with beating his way on the steamer Yosmite.

Mr. Briggs stated the case for the C. P. N. Company.

The Superintendent of Police said the offence was committed outside the city limits, and objected to the city having to pay for the keep of delinquent against the rules of the company.

The magistrate said Mr. Briggs should apply to the provincial magistrate or to a provincial J. P. for redress, and remanded the prisoner for one day.

Angelo Apostoli was charged with stealing a revolver.

Sergeant McLaren, of the Vancouver police force, appeared to prosecute.

The magistrate decided to release the prisoner, which was done.

Apostoli was immediately re-arrested by Sergeant McLaren, and was taken up to Vancouver this morning where he will be tried on the charge.

PERSONAL.

G. B. Wright is in the city.

S. Perry Mills went over to Vancouver this morning.

M. J. Haney left this morning for Fort Benton, Mont.

D. E. Brown, C.P.R., Vancouver, is at the Driard.

We regret to state that Mrs. W. J. McKeon, Sr., is seriously ill.

Thomas Patterson, customs appraiser, Ottawa, left for British Columbia with Mrs. Bowell's party.

Wm. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine, left Ottawa on Tuesday for British Columbia and California.

Cardinal Manning's friends will celebrate his jubilee by presenting him with a testimonial of $60,000.

A. D. Charlton, assistant passenger agent of the Northern Pacific, paid a flying visit to the city yesterday, accompanied by a couple of eastern railway men.

Mrs. and Miss Seabrook will leave tonight on a visit to friends in Philadelphia. Miss Seabrook will attend the Art school in that city, where she will remain about two years.

Premier Mercier, on his arrival from Cascapedia, found awaiting him a brief and other documents from Rome, constituting him Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St. Gregory the Great, and also the regular regalia and jewels of the order.

W. J. Parry, president of the North Wales Quarrymen's union, and editor of *Y. Genedl Gymreig* or "The Welsh People," has left the city for Manitoba and the Northwest. He intends to contribute articles to the British press on the scenery and general nature of the country through which he passes.

H. L. Gulline, of Seattle, arrived over on the Alaskan last night, and will leave for Nanaimo this morning, where he was summoned by telegraph to confer with the Vancouver Coal company regarding the P. and B. pile covering, now extensively used on the coast and lately adopted by Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir.

Prof. Briggs, of Buffalo, who was in the city for several weeks writing a history of his travels in Alaska and British Columbia, left for New York yesterday morning. The professor during his sojourn among us, made many friends who will not soon forget him. He is a gentleman of many sterling qualities, well read, an able speaker and a brilliant conversationalist and just the person to undertake the task of writing up the land of the midnight sun. It is understood the professor has also studied the missionary questions pertaining to this province and will ere long present his views to the world. His stay here was much longer than he at first anticipated, but, as he remarked, "Your climate is so glorious and as my health has suffered of late, I could not but see the advantages I would gain by remaining here."

CHURCH NOTICES.

Baptist Church, Herald street—Rev. M. L. Rugg, Pastor. Usual preaching services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Subject of the evening sermon: "The Manliness of Christian Faith." Strangers and those without a church or home especially invited. All made welcome.

Reformed Episcopal Church services on Sunday, at the usual hours of public worship, conducted by the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge and Rev. Dr. Reid. Sunday school in the afternoon, at 2:45 o'clock. Weekly services on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Patronize Home Industry.

Having just completed some more of their style A pianos, Messrs. Goodwin & Jordan invite intending purchasers to call at the factory, where the instruments and testimonials from former customers may be seen.

Corner of Fort and Broad streets. *

FROM THE NORTH.

Arrival of the Idaho at Nanaimo—T. S. Nowell, of Boston, and Rufus Sylvester, of Cassiar, Among the Passengers—Interesting Mining News.

On the arrival of the train from Nanaimo yesterday, it was learned that the steamer Idaho had arrived there from Alaska, and would take in a full cargo of coal before coming on to Victoria and the Sound. About fifteen of her passengers came down on the train, amongst whom were Mr. Rufus Sylvester, of Cassiar, and Mr. Thos. S. Nowell, of Boston, Mass., who is heavily interested in Alaska.

Mr. Sylvester was seen by a representative of THE COLONIST and said he had very little news to impart owing to the quiet state of the Cassiar country. The spring was very backward this year and the mines have not been doing well, there being very poor outputs from Dease and Thibet creeks. McDame creek has had about the same luck except in the case of Quartz creek, a tributary to the McDame, where the prospects have been very good, but far from reaching the results anticipated. Mr. Sylvester bonded his fur interests to the Hudson's Bay Company and it is expected the sale will be completed before he returns north, which will be on the Ancon next week. He brought 250 tons of beaver skins with him, which will arrive on the Idaho either to-day or to-morrow.

ALASKA MINING ITEMS.

The reporter called on Mr. Nowell, who was staying at the Driard, and found him ready and willing to discuss the mining situation in Alaska. Mr. Nowell is, as before stated, one of the largest mining operators in the northern country, and furthermore represents a number of the wealthiest capitalists in the east, and the following facts elicited by the reporter, will no doubt prove of interest, coming as they do from a gentleman, known the whole length and breadth of the United States as a bold and enterprising mining operator.

"What is the occasion of your visit to Victoria, Mr. Nowell"? asked the reporter.

"I am on my way to B ston *via* San Francisco, having been away for over four months. I shall return next spring, or probably sooner."

"News has been received that you and the people you represent have struck a rich lode in the Silver Bow Basin."

"Yes, I have every reason to believe that we have struck the richest mine ever found in that country, and old '49 miners say it will far surpass the old Comstock mines. They also say the mine has the largest amount of high grade ore they have ever seen in any mine. The Silver Bow has an entirely different formation from Douglas Island and the great amount of ore runs from $200 to $1000 per ton. The average practical working will be from $50 to $100 to the ton. We have a ten-stamp mill under construction with a wire elevated tramway which will run from the mine to the mill, a distance of about two miles. The mill will have a capacity of 100 tons per day and we will have it in operation in the spring. The elevation of the mine is about 2,200 feet above tide water, and we have already on the dump several thousand tons of ore which were mined this season. We are now running two tunnels for the purpose of developing the mine, one at 100 feet level and the other 200 feet and have already struck pay ore in both, the same character, in fact, as that now being mined on the surface. It is estimated that there are 50,000 tons of ore that can be taken out at every ten-foot level. I am not as sanguine as others less interested in the mine, but I know that we have struck the richest mine ever known as I am assurred by old miners, who have nothing to do with us, that there is nothing in America to compare with it and it is regarded in Alaska as the mother lode of the country, which all scientific men predicted existed in Alaska. This mine is controlled by the same stock holders as in the Douglas Island properties, and is under the management of myself. You no doubt heard that we were compelled to shut down the Union mine on Douglas Island. That is so, but we will start up again in the spring with fine prospects. There has been a heavy advance in real estate at Juneau on account of the development of our new mine, and Juneau, which always was a quiet little town, is booming at a great rate, and good times are anticipated.

THE TREADWELL MINE COMPANY

has a large 240 stamp mill running, and are doing well. The new English company are now running tunnels preparatory to erecting 120 stamps next year. Another company are developing the "Mexico" mine, and contemplating erecting an 80 stamp mill in the spring.

The placer miners in Silver Bowe Basin section have made their first clean up, and from all accounts have realized satisfactory results. No news had been received from the Yukon country, but it was expected when I left news would be received about the first of next month. About 200 miners went into that country this year.

The Berner Bay district, where extensive development work was done this year, has demonstrated the fact that there is well defined pay ore in sufficient quantities to warrant the erection of stamp mills at an early day. There has been important discoveries of silver ore in well-defined fissure veins and the ore is of sufficient richness to ship below for smelting. That section also promises to be an important factor in the mining business of Alaska."

Mr. Nowell left on his homeward trip this morning *via* the Sound and San Francisco. He will, as before stated, return in the spring and renew his labors. The weather, he said, was all that could be desired for the work he had in hand.

NANAIMO, Aug. 24.—The Idaho reached Nanaimo early this morning with about sixty passengers on her return from Alaska. She passed the Ancon on Aug. 19th a little below Tongas. The weather experienced by the Idaho was exceedingly fine until two days since, when rain and fog set in.

The passengers report great activity at Juneau on account of the mining prospects. Within a month property has increased one-third in value.

The Treadwell mine is turning out about 300 tons of ore a day. A lack of water, on account of the dryness of the season, prevents the mill running much more than half its force.

Among the Idaho's passengers are Hon. O. J. Hodge, of Cleveland, O., Captain John Codman, of San Francisco, Cala., and Mr. Thos. Nowell, of Boston, chief owner of the Juneau mine.

The steamer Princess Louise had not reached here up to 8 p. m.

THE Canadian Pacific Railway Company will exchange round-trip tickets issued by the Northern Pacific for tickets good to return *via* the C. P. R.

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THE MENZIES CASE.

The Accused Found Guilty of the Offence Charged—He Makes a Statement—Sentence Deferred.

The adjourned case of Walter R. Menzies, charged with promoting illicit intercourse between Ah Lin and Ah Chee, came up yesterday morning in the supreme court, when Mr. Justice Gray delivered judgment.

His lordship reviewed the evidence at considerable length. Acting both as a judge and a jury, he attached very little importance to the evidence of the two Chinese witnesses. The turning point of the matter was that Menzies gave a receipt and worded it as he did, which to his mind was conclusive evidence of having deceived the Chinese. The Chinese evidence was valueless, except so far as it corroborated the evidence of other witnesses. The counsel for the defence, Mr. Drake, Q.C., claimed that they were married according to Chinese custom, if that was the case, why the mockery and trouble of another ceremony? In closing, his lordship said, "I find the prisoner guilty of the offence charged."

His lordship said, as he had been unable to allow the prisoner a chance to speak before the verdict was rendered, he would defer sentencing him until he made any statement he wished.

Mr. Drake—Mr. Menzies wishes to make a statement now.

His Lordship—Very well, Mr. Menzies, you can make any statement you wish.

MENZIES' STATEMENT.

May it please your Lordship:

I returned to Victoria, purposely, to give ventilation to these charges. It was not within my knowledge, at the time, that I would be able to offer nothing in my own defence, that I would be arraigned simply upon information and belief, as I have been, through the police authorities; no special charge being made against me, other than sworn to upon information and belief, brought about by the reports current in the newspapers. It has been for the prosecution—or rather persecution I might say—to rake your statutes from one end to the other for the purpose of bringing some charge to stick against me. Had I known that I would not be able to give a personal defence and explanation in this matter, I should certainly not have placed myself in the position in which I am to-day. I am satisfied that I have done no injury to the Province of British Columbia, nor its laws, nor have I sought to do any injury to my fellow-creatures. The coming of this girl to my house through my mother-in-law and Mr. Vrooman dates nearly two years back. From that time she has been under my roof, and under my protection, where she has been dependent upon me for supplies, clothing and provisions, and so forth. In the meantime changes have taken place, and this girl has been under the protection of the "Home." From the time she came to my place I had no desire to have anything further to do with her; and believing from information from Mrs. Fowler and others that she would be received, I offered one of them a situation with Mr. Cohen, and the other one I took into my family to assist the household. My family being about to remove from ill health to California, I took this girl to Mrs. Crawford on her stating that her daughter, Mrs. Whittier, would be able to employ her with regard to family usefulness. She took her upon many occasions backward and forward to Esquimalt with her, but she was unable to keep her. I was compelled under the circumstances to seek a different place for the girl, where she could be employed to her own benefit and to that of others; but in each case I failed. I applied to many families, even to public places. I was compelled to maintain the expense of Mrs. Crawford's house for the purpose of keeping this girl, at my own expense. During that time quite a period of months—nearly four months—elapsed. The girl had been nearly eight months prior to that under my protection, eating my food at my table, a period of nearly a year upon which she had depended for support. If, during that year, I did not expend more than $150 for provisions and other necessaries upon her, I should be very much surprised. I believe it far exceeded that. During the time that the girl was at Mrs. Crawford's she was treated with the greatest possible kindness. Several witnesses at Mrs. Crawford's have seen her throughout the yards in the place where Mrs. Crawford resided, no restraint being put upon the girl. At no time was the way to the thoroughfare closed, the girl having free access to the public streets, nor did Mrs. Crawford ever chastise her, except on two occasions. The girl had been a prostitute; you will please take that in to consideration. She was a rescued prostitute from one of the lowest dens in Chinatown. (Here the prisoner gave instances of the girl's depravity.) This is the character of the girl for whom I am to pay the penalty of the laws of British Columbia. Your honor, if I have done any wrong, I think it must have been done to the Chinaman with whom I sought all honorable means to bring about a marriage with her. This man and girl sought to obtain a marriage. I stated openly that he could obtain that license; there was nothing underhanded about that. Immediatly upon my return from the sheriff's office, according to stipulation, the Chinaman paid me down the money in Mrs. Crawford's presence. That receipt was then made by me, believing that there was no obstacle in the way of bringing about a proper marriage, and the consummation of the desires of each. I insisted with the man that he could not hold this girl five minutes from Mr. Vrooman, if he did not have the marriage performed according to the law of British Columbia. Following my leaving him, I went to each and all of the different ministers of Victoria. I was instructed by the Rev. Bishop Cridge, after stating the circumstances, and after stating the facts that this Chinaman had informed me of, that Mr. Vrooman had attempted to extort $200 from him as blood money; for I stated that to Bishop Cridge, as well as to Mr. Fraser, and you have seen that that gentleman in his last statement here, under oath, disclaimed that he had no further conversation with me, or knowledge in the matter, whereas, in the police court he does express it, and stated positively that I made that explanation to him. I went to each and all of those ministers and they refused. Then I went to Mrs. Crawford's place, after having my supper, having visited the Catholic father, Father Jonekau, who gave me about the same advice, that is to allow them to marry after their own fashion. The advice of Bishop Cridge was to allow them to take their own form of ceremony. If I have done wrong, I have done wrong on their own instructions. For myself, I am willing to take all the law can inflict upon me. I have, at least, manhood enough to stand anything in that character. Upon my own behalf, I ask nothing. Upon the behalf of my mother, and my wife, and my child, who are dependent upon me, I ask your leniency.

At the close of the prisoner's remarks, Mr. Justice Gray, having first expressed a wish that the statement should be reduced into writing and handed to him, continued: "It is only to be regretted if you have facts to bring forward, you did not produce them."

Menzies—I deeply regret that at the police court my lawyer gave me away; no defence was made in this case. I had many witnesses that could have been brought forward to show all that to your lordship.

Court—It would have made a very material difference. It would have established the fact then, that the Chinese ceremony had been performed, and still more material to your benefit if you can show that the ceremony was performed under the advice and suggestions of reverend gentlemen. But you must remember that in the case as stated before the court there was not one redeeming point brought forward in your favor. The advice and opposition of men in that station, and your acting upon it, is certainly a matter of great consideration, but as the matter stands at present, the law has clearly been violated, and I can come to no other conclusion than that which I have arrived at, which is in accordance with the facts that have been provided, but I wil be very happy to have that writing. I think myself that the statements which you have made, and the charges with reference to other people involve very serious consideration; and I think it is quite time that the whole of this matter should be either put an end to, or that an exposure should take place, and let the fault rest upon the proper shoulders.

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